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Arboricultural Assessment – 22nd March 2022

1. Tree Preservation Ordered trees on land adjacent to Davis Street, Hurst RG10 0TH
2. The following Arboricultural assessment is to provide a visual treeinspection for the trees with this area.
3. Brief: To survey trees around the land have been plotted by GPS see plan.
4. Method: Visual Tree inspection references, Principles of Tree Hazard Assessment and Management by David Lonsdale and the body language of trees by Claus Mattheck and Helge Breuer. The Arboricultural Association guidance note 7 tree surveys a guide to good practice. Lantra award Professional tree inspection.

5. Summary: Mature Oaks around the paddocks with TPOs. This survey recommends the removal of some dead Oaks and remedial works to remainder on the grounds of health and safety. The general scrub in areas under the Oaks require removing and tidying as normal maintenance of the paddocks. Areas of replanting to renovate hedging are recommended as detailed in the survey to improve the overall amenity of the areas over time. There is some Ash in a poor condition require monitoring or removal due to 'Ash die back' disease. Trees highlighted in yellow require urgent removals. Trees 56 to 61 along side Housing require further detailed inspection after undergrowth has been cleared. Oak 34 is predominantly leaning over the neighbouring property requires reinspection to identify a required specification to relieve weight from the overextended branches. Renovate the ditch along the west fence line to reduce ' water logging' and root decay of the adjacent Oaks.

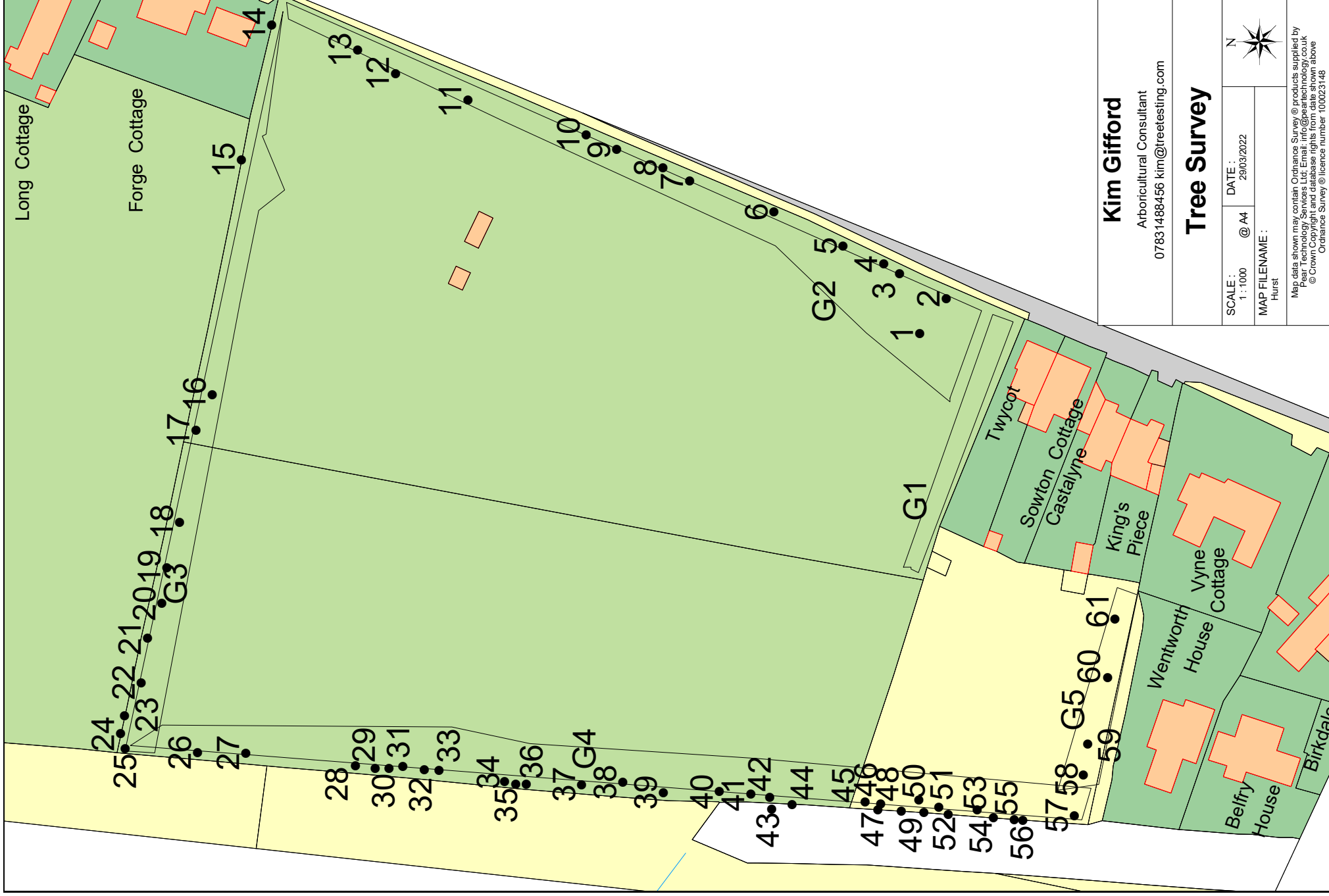
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Fine weather conditions.

Undertaken: by Kim Gifford (see profile page).

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Tree ID	Tree Type	Latin Name	Stems	Height (m)	Stem Dia (mm)	Spread Radius (m)	Maturity	Overall	Date	Comment	Next inspection
1	A Group								22/03/2022	Scrub thorns damson goat willow 50 stems	
2	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
3	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	400	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
4	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	350	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
5	Ash	Fraxinus excelsior		15 to 18m	300			Poor	22/03/2022	Fell cavity two stemmed	
6	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	700	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
7	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	400	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
8	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	350	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
9	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	350	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
10	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
11	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	700	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
12	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	600	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs
13	Oak	Quercus robur		15 to 18m	400	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy	2yrs

14	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	400	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Over road remove deadwood, cut ivy, over garage	2yrs
15	Willow	Salic fragilis						22/03/2022	Fallen	2yrs
16	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
17	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	400	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
18	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	600	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
19	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
20	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
21	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Hole in crown, remove deadwood	2yrs
22	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
23	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	800	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Leaning fell	
24	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Dead	22/03/2022	Dead fell	
25	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
26	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
27	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
28	Ash	Fraxinus excelsior	15 to 18m	600			Poor	22/03/2022	Die back?	2yrs
29	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
30	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
31	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs

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32	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
33	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
34	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Leaning take weight off over park, remove deadwood, Picus test	2yrs
35	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Burr oak dead top, remove deadwood	2yrs
36	Ash	Fraxinus excelsior	15 to 18m	300			Poor	22/03/2022	Monitor	2yrs
37	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	900	5 to 9m	Mature	Dead	22/03/2022	Fell	
38	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
39	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
40	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
41	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Dieback four oaks, remove deadwood monitor	2yrs
42	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	600	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Dieback four oaks, remove deadwood monitor	2yrs
43	Ash	Fraxinus excelsior	15 to 18m	300			Poor	22/03/2022	Monitor	2yrs
44	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	600	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Dieback four oaks, remove deadwood monitor	2yrs
45	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	700	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Dieback four oaks, remove deadwood monitor	2yrs
46	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	800	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
47	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	600	5 to 9m	Mature	Dead	22/03/2022	Dead stem, remove	
48	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	300	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Ivy glad dead stem, remove	

			18m							
49	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	900	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
50	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	150	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Young	2yrs
51	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	600	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
52	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	600	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Fallen stem, remove	
53	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	700	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
54	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	900	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
55	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	700	5 to 9m	Mature	Normal	22/03/2022	Remove dead wood	2yrs
56	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 18m	600	5 to 9m	Mature	Poor	22/03/2022	Fallen stem, remove	
57	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 20m	900	5 to 9m	Mature	Reinspect	22/03/2022	Require further inspection clearance of undergrowth - Picus test	
58	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 20m	1200	5 to 9m	Mature	Reinspect	22/03/2022	Require further inspection clearance of undergrowth - Picus test	
59	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 20m	1000	5 to 9m	Mature	Reinspect	22/03/2022	Require further inspection clearance of undergrowth - Picus test	
60	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 20m	1200	5 to 9m	Mature	Reinspect	22/03/2022	Require further inspection clearance of undergrowth - Picus test	
61	Oak	Quercus robur	15 to 20m	700	5 to 9m	Mature	Reinspect	22/03/2022	Require further inspection clearance of undergrowth - Picus test	

G1 Dilapidated hedge – Replant with a row of standard trees to replace hedge row.

G2, G3, G4, G5, Regen of Damson saplings, sucker growth and dead Elms along fence line – Remove, tidy areas, remove detritus and objects dangerous to Horses, clear areas. To allow for replanting of hedging along the fence line of whips and transplants of indigenous species. The overflowing ditch adjacent to the west fence line is causing root decay to the Oaks adjacent to G4 'water logging'. It is therefore appropriate to renovate the ditch to restore normal flows to improve the health of the Oaks.

Root Protection Areas of the Oaks 12m from the specimen.

Profile:

Prior to starting GTS Kim Gifford completed a 4-year apprenticeship in 1972 with the Royal Parks at Hampton Court Palace acquired City and Guilds Horticulture and Arboriculture. In addition to these qualifications Kim Gifford continued his professional development by attending seminars, conferences, studying for the professional diploma and foundation degree in Arboriculture. Further work experience during pre-business period included sub-contracting for Arb. Companies. Work as a lead Arborist for London Borough of Ealing and Arborist in Berlin Germany.

Kim Gifford t/a Gifford Tree Service started trading as a sole trader in 1980 and in 1985 became a partnership. The company specialises in all aspects of Arboriculture. From 2007 Kim Gifford now again, trades as a sole trader in his own right. In 1988 Kim Gifford became an approved contractor with Arboricultural Association after a comprehensive assessment and reassessments in 2002/2007 Kim Gifford served on committees of the Arboricultural Association for 10 years and became the National Chairman of the Arboricultural Association in 2001. Kim Gifford is now an honorary member of the Arboricultural Association.

Kim Gifford personally undertakes Picus sonic decay tests for local authorities and other Arboricultural contractors all over the Southern area of England. Kim Gifford owns the Picus equipment treetesting.com for 13 years and completed over 3000 tests, so he has considerable experience in the analysis of the tomographic images. He provides this service to complement other consultant reports, this is combined with my 42 years' knowledge in Arboriculture.

The whole Picus system has been updated and maintained to the recent Picus manufacture improvements.

Kim Gifford has undertaken many Tree Surveys including Mortgage reports and BS5837 surveys to meet planning authorities' requirements during development proposals plus Tree Preservation applications and planning inspectorate appeals.

Kim Gifford was certificated recently by Lantra training awards with Professional Tree Inspection Certificate 30th November 2013 and Arboricultural Association Certificate BS5837 – Advanced Tree Assessment for Planning 4th May 2016.

Kim Gifford also provides quotations for recommended works, Risk Methods Statements, Health & Safety Policies, Site Specific procedures operation supervision and management services.



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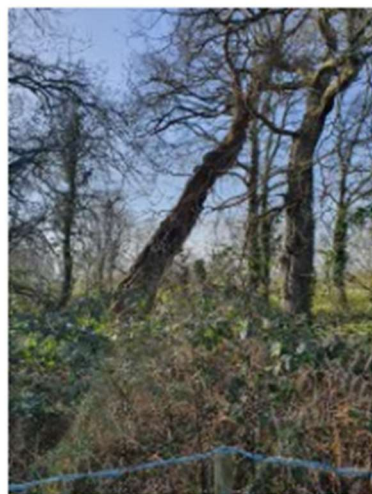
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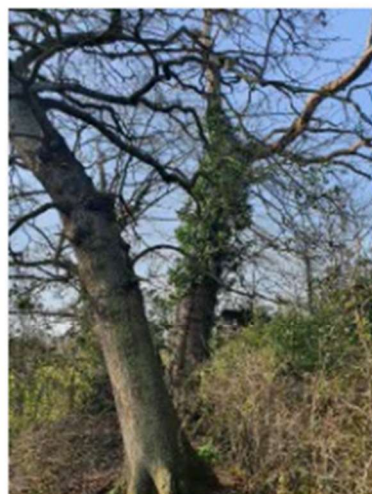
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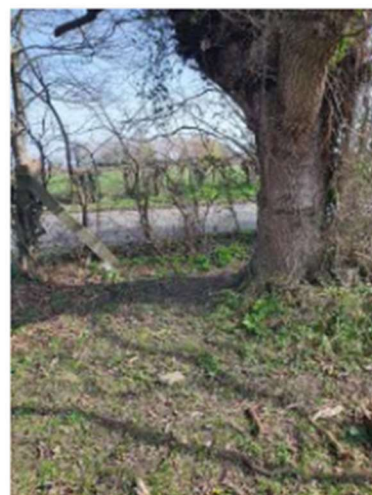
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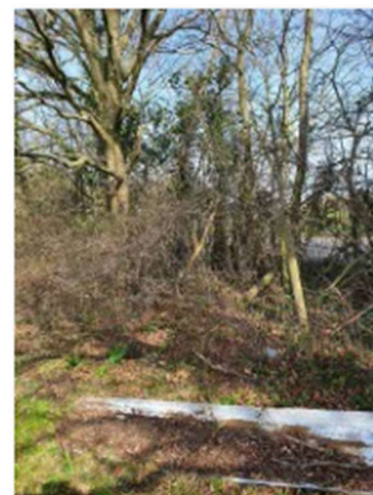
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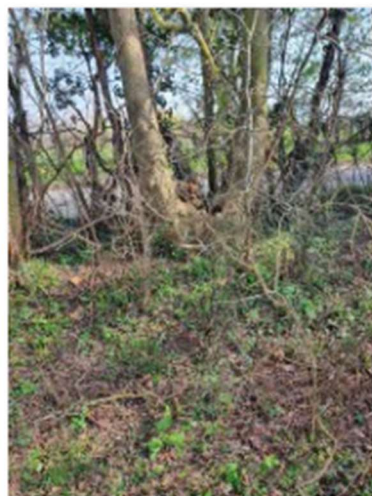
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